BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 97-076-C - ORDER NO. 2004-12

JANUARY 8, 2004

IN RE:	Application of 2M Communications, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Provider of Local,	,	ORDER CANCELLING CERTIFICATE /p
	IntraLATA and InterLATA Inmate)	
	Telecommunications Services.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") on the request of 2M Communications, Inc. ("2M" or the "Company") to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local, intraLATA and interLATA telecommunications services to inmate facilities in the State of South Carolina. A review of the docket file reveals that the Commission granted 2M authority to provide collect-only call capability from confinement (correctional) facilities located in South Carolina by Order No. 97-533, dated June 19, 1997.

Through correspondence received December 16, 2003, from 2M's president, the Commission was advised that the Company discontinued business in April, 2003, and that the discontinuance is permanent.

As 2M is not providing the services for which its Certificate was granted by 2M's own acknowledgement, the Commission finds and concludes that 2M's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local, intraLATA and interLATA telecommunications services to inmate facilities should be cancelled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local, intraLATA and interLATA telecommunications services to inmate facilities within the State of South Carolina authorized by Order No. 97-533, dated June 19, 1997, issued in the instant docket to 2M Communications, Inc. is hereby cancelled.
- 2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

Mignor L. Clyburn, Chairman

ATTEST:

Bruce F. Duke, Deputy Executive Director

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